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SUBJ: CITIES IN CHINA OPEN TO TOURISM

THE NCNA ANNOUNCEMENT OF JUNE 13 ABOUT ADDITIONAL CITIES OPEN TO FOREIGNERS IN CHINA WAS ISSUED ON THE OCCASION OF THE ARRIVAL IN PEKING OF THE UNIVERSAL ASSOCIATION OF TRAVEL AGENTS ASSOCIATIONS, AND WAS SOMETHING OF AN EXERCISE IN CREATIVE WRITING. SOME OF THE CITIES LISTED, E.G., FOSHAN AND TATUNG, WERE ALREADY OPEN, AND ACCORDING TO PI HSUEH-CHIEN OF CTS OTHERS, E.G., PAOTOW AND HOFEI, WILL NOT BE OPEN UNTIL NEXT YEAR.

2. SINCE THE BEGINNING OF 1978, THE NUMBER OF CITIES OPEN TO TOURISM HAS INCREASED FROM 32 TO AT LEAST 55, AND WE EXPECT THE NUMBER TO APPROACH 95 CITIES WITHIN A YEAR. FIVE ENTIRE PROVINCES, HOWEVER (FUKIEN, KWEICHOW, NINGHSIA, TIBET, AND CHINGHAI), AND LARGE AREAS OF ALL OTHER PROVINCES REMAIN CLOSED TO FOREIGNERS EXCEPT UNDER SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES.

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